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PLAGUE—Continued.

RATS COLLECTED AND EXAMINED FOR PLAGUE INFECTION.

| Places. | Week ended— | Found dead. | Total collected. | Examined. | Found infected. |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| California: | | | | | |
| Cities— | | | | | |
| Berkeley..... | Aug. 10.. | 3 | ¹ 165 | 104 | ..... |
| Oakland..... | do..... | 23 | ² 588 | 407 | ..... |
| San Francisco..... | do..... | 4 | ³ 1,700 | 1,298 | ..... |
| Washington: | | | | | |
| City— | | | | | |
| Seattle..... | do..... | | 943 | 870 | ..... |

¹ Identified: *Mus norvegicus*, 137; *Mus musculus*, 28.² Identified: *Mus norvegicus*, 487; *Mus musculus*, 101.³ Identified: *Mus norvegicus*, 917; *Mus alexandrinus*, 228; *Mus rattus*, 248; *Mus musculus*, 307.

SQUIRRELS COLLECTED AND EXAMINED FOR PLAGUE INFECTION.

During the week ended August 10, 1912, 91 squirrels from Alameda County, 500 from Contra Costa County, and 102 from Stanislaus County, Cal., were examined for plague infection. Six from Alameda County and 22 from Contra Costa County were found infected.

CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.

CASES AND DEATHS REPORTED BY CITY HEALTH AUTHORITIES FOR THE WEEK ENDED AUG. 10, 1912.

| City. | Cases. | Deaths. | City. | Cases. | Deaths. |
|----------------------|--------|---------|-------------------------|--------|---------|
| Baltimore, Md..... | 1 | 1 | New York, N. Y..... | 3 | 3 |
| Boston, Mass..... | 1 | 1 | Philadelphia, Pa..... | 2 | 1 |
| Dayton, Ohio..... | 1 | 2 | Providence, R. I..... | | 2 |
| Nashville, Tenn..... | 1 | 1 | Reading, Pa..... | 1 | ..... |
| New Orleans, La..... | 1 | ..... | San Francisco, Cal..... | | 1 |

ERYSIPELAS.

CASES AND DEATHS REPORTED BY CITY HEALTH AUTHORITIES FOR THE WEEK ENDED AUG. 10, 1912.

| City. | Cases. | Deaths. | City. | Cases. | Deaths. |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| Boston, Mass..... | | 1 | Los Angeles, Cal..... | 1 | ..... |
| Braddock, Pa..... | 1 | ..... | New York, N. Y..... | 11 | 2 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio..... | 1 | ..... | Passaic, N. J..... | 1 | ..... |
| Cleveland, Ohio..... | 1 | 1 | Philadelphia, Pa..... | 3 | 1 |
| El Paso, Tex..... | | 1 | Pittsburgh, Pa..... | 1 | ..... |
| Harrisburg, Pa..... | 1 | ..... | St. Louis, Mo..... | 1 | ..... |

LEPROSY.

MICHIGAN.

Dr. R. L. Dixon, secretary of the Michigan State Board of Health, forwards the following reports regarding two cases of leprosy reported in Michigan during the present year:

H. H., a Russian Jew, age 47 years, born in Courland, Russia, was clinically diagnosed as being affected with leprosy at Detroit, April

14, 1912. The diagnosis was verified bacteriologically. The patient had lived at Bay City, Mich., during the past 19 years, and before that had lived in Cape Colony, South Africa, for about 7 years. Previous to his residence in Cape Colony he had lived in Russia. His father and an uncle are reported to have died of a peculiar skin disease, characterized by the loss of fingers and the mutilation of their noses. The patient is now quarantined in his own home in Bay City.

S. I., a Russian Jew, male, age 34 years, born in Courland, Russia, was found to have leprosy about May 17, 1912. The patient was known to have lived in and around Bay City, Mich., as a tramp junk dealer for about three years. At the time this case was reported to the State department of health the patient had broken quarantine and his whereabouts was unknown. However, about June 20 he returned to Bay City and was placed under quarantine by the city health department. On June 30 he again broke quarantine and was later apprehended in Buffalo, N. Y. He later escaped from detention in Buffalo and his present whereabouts is unknown.

PELLAGRA.

During the week ended August 10, 1912, pellagra was reported by city health authorities as follows: Columbus, Ga., 1 death; Lexington, Ky., 2 deaths; Lynchburg, Va., 1 death; Nashville, Tenn., 1 death; New Orleans, La., 1 death; Roanoke, Va., 1 death; Richmond, Va., 1 death.

PNEUMONIA.

CASES AND DEATHS REPORTED BY CITY HEALTH AUTHORITIES FOR THE WEEK ENDED AUG. 10, 1912.

| City. | Cases. | Deaths. | City. | Cases. | Deaths. |
|-------------------|--------|---------|-------------------------|--------|---------|
| Altoona, Pa. | | 1 | Manchester, N. H. | 1 | 1 |
| Auburn, N. Y. | 2 | 2 | Mount Vernon, N. Y. | 1 | |
| Aurora, Ill. | | 1 | Nashville, Tenn. | | 1 |
| Baltimore, Md. | | 5 | Newark, N. J. | | 4 |
| Binghamton, N. Y. | 2 | 2 | Newburyport, Mass. | | 2 |
| Boston, Mass. | | 10 | New Orleans, La. | | 3 |
| Bridgeport, Conn. | | 1 | Newport, Ky. | 1 | 1 |
| Braddock, Pa. | 1 | | New York, N. Y. | | 52 |
| Cambridge, Mass. | | 1 | Oakland, Cal. | | 1 |
| Chicago, Ill. | 7 | 33 | Omaha, Nebr. | | 4 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio. | | 3 | Pasadena, Cal. | | 1 |
| Cleveland, Ohio. | 10 | 6 | Pawtucket, R. I. | | 1 |
| Cumberland, Md. | | 1 | Philadelphia, Pa. | 7 | 22 |
| Dunkirk, N. Y. | 2 | 2 | Pittsburgh, Pa. | 10 | 11 |
| Elizabeth, N. J. | | 1 | Reading, Pa. | | 1 |
| El Paso, Tex. | | 2 | Richmond, Va. | | 2 |
| Evansville, Ind. | | 1 | Salem, Mass. | | 1 |
| Fall River, Mass. | | 1 | San Diego, Cal. | 1 | 1 |
| Galesburg, Ill. | 1 | 1 | San Francisco, Cal. | 6 | |
| Hartford, Conn. | | 4 | Saratoga Springs, N. Y. | | 1 |
| Kalamazoo, Mich. | 2 | | South Bethlehem, Pa. | 1 | |
| Lexington, Ky. | | 2 | Springfield, Mass. | | 1 |
| Logansport, Ind. | | 1 | Washington, D. C. | | 3 |
| Los Angeles, Cal. | | 3 | Wheeling, W. Va. | | 1 |
| Lowell, Mass. | | 3 | Wilkes-Barre, Pa. | | 1 |
| Lynn, Mass. | | 2 | Woburn, Mass. | | 1 |